

# Local News In Brief

**In Baker**—R. J. Kitchen in spending today in Baker on legal business. He left on No. 24 this morning.

**Elgin Visitors**—Attorney L. Dehnan, of Elgin, accompanied by Lloyd Brown, were among the out-of-town business visitors in La Grande today.

**Sells Home**—Cecil Reagle recently sold his home to Charles S. DeForest. The sale was made by the George H. Curry real estate agency.

**Purchase New Home**—Henry Ferguson has purchased a new modern home through the George H. Curry real estate agency from Bird A. Bennett.

**Mother is Ill**—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Courtney and little daughter, of Ontario, Oregon, left this morning for Enterprise, where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Courtney's mother.

**On Business Trip**—J. L. Sante, Baker accountant, is in La Grande today looking after some business matters that require his attention here.

**Daughter Arrives**—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cleveland are happy today over the arrival of a six and one-half pound daughter at their home in this city last evening. The little miss has been named Anna Viola.

**Purchases Lot**—Charles S. DeForest has purchased, through the George H. Curry real estate agency, three lots from J. K. Romig. Mr. DeForest expects to build a home on one of the lots in the spring.

**Property Changes Hands**—W. C. Ferrel, employe of the O-W, recently purchased a home near Commodore from Bird Bennett. The deal was made by the George H. Curry real estate agency.

**Says It Rains**—"If you never saw it rain, you should have been in Eastern Oregon in 1923," says Glass Pless, commissioner for Walla Walla county, registered at the Imperial. "It rained and rained and rained without a let-up."—Portland Oregonian.

**Wallowa Man To Idaho**—C. F. McDaniel, who is listed among the business men of Walla

Walla, arrived in La Grande last evening and after a short stop here visiting friends and looking the city over, he left for Lewiston, Ida., where business will occupy his attention for a few days.

**Returns to Enterprise**—Mrs. Harriet Thonowick returned to her Enterprise home this morning on the branch line train after spending a few days in La Grande with her son, who has been undergoing medical treatment in this city. Her son is quite improved.

**Here on Business**—Mell Ryder, of Ryder Brothers, printers, of Baker, stepped off the morning train here today for a business visit here. Mr. Ryder has many friends in this city and expects to sandwich visits with them in between the hours he will devote to his business mission.

**Advance Agent Here**—Miss H. Miller, advance agent of the Kansas City Symphony Orchestra is in La Grande today from Kansas City, Missouri, making arrangements for the arrival of the "Little Symphony" orchestra which will appear in La Grande Monday evening in the Arcade theater.

**Is 80 Years Young**—James Quinlan, a resident of Union county since 1853, celebrated his eightieth birthday anniversary January 4th. Mr. Quinlan will be remembered as having charge of the business department for the M & C company a number of years until he met with an unfortunate accident some five years ago which caused him to be permanently crippled. He resides on U' avenue.

**Cash With Classified Ad.**—Difficulty in collecting money for the publishing of similar advertising listed as classified advertising and under the "new today" column, the Evening Observer, talking effect tomorrow, Saturday, January 12, will not accept such advertising unless it is accompanied by a cash remittance covering the amount of the advertisement. Rates on advertising as classified under "new today" are two cents per word.

**Returns to La Grande**—C. R. Hibberd, formerly of La Grande, who has spent the past year in California, returned to this city yesterday from Santa Anna, where Mr. Hibberd's family is now located. They will remain there until the school session is completed and then will join Mr. Hibberd in La Grande. "I drove to La Grande from California and was five days on the road," he stated. "The roads are in splendid condition for this time of the year and I experienced little difficulty in making the trip by automobile."

**To Serve Sentence**—Joe Thomas, Australian, who is compelled to serve a sentence passed upon him in December for being found guilty of possession of opium, was placed in the city jail today. Thomas is favoring judgment to go days in the city jail and a fine of \$250. Chief of Police Chas. Haynes states that Thomas said that he could not pay the fine which means that Thomas must serve the fine out at the rate of one day for each \$25.00. If he cannot pay any of the fine he will be forced to spend a total of 155 days in jail as payment of the fine and jail sentence.

**Are YOU Healthy?**—Perhaps you suffer from backache, have frequent headaches, a tired, worn-out feeling. Do you want to regain youthful buoyancy, bright eyes, a fresh, clear skin? Fortunately there is a remedy that will help you. Dr. Pierce, who was a skillful physician, discovered this medicine fifty years ago and knew its value so well that he called it his "Favorite Prescription" and with thousands of women to whom it has brought relief, it is also a favorite, and many testimonials prove its worth. Send for free trial package, to Dr. Pierce's Invariant Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and write for free medical advice.—Adv.

**NEW TODAY**

**NOTICE**  
Due to difficulty experienced in collecting charges for advertising that is listed under classified advertising and under the "new today" heading, the Evening Observer will hereafter take no classified advertising or advertising to be run as "new today" unless the advertising is accompanied by cash. This takes effect tomorrow, Saturday, January 12.

**FOR SALE**—Small modern furnished home, cheap. Inquire 2296 Cedar. 1-11-24

**FOR SALE**—Dry 16-in. cord wood. Phone 434-3. 1-11-24

**FOR RENT**—2-room furnished apartment, steam heated. 1204 Washington. 1-11-24

**WANTED**—Girl for general housework. 2086 Adams Ave. 1-31-24

**FOR SALE**—Good baby buggy. Phone 275-3. 1-11-24

**FOR RENT**—Sleeping room, first floor, outside entrance, 1615 Adams Ave. 1-11-24

## Obituary

**TURNER OLIVER**  
A direct descendant of Daniel Boone, of historical fame, Turner Oliver passed on recently in La Grande and was laid to rest a few days past.

He was born in Marion county, Iowa, May 7, 1850, and crossed the plains with his parents when he was but four years of age. Never thereafter he encountered a truly exciting experience the family had on their trek across the continent.

His father located in the northern part of the Grande Ronde valley and built the first saw mill in Union county and also many of the early buildings of La Grande were built of the lumber from this mill.

Mr. Oliver's education was acquired in the country schools and in the Blue Mountain University and the University of Oregon.

He later settled in Union, Ore., and his first public work was as a teacher of the public schools in that place.

He was deputy county clerk for four years and county clerk four years. He read law during his incumbency with local attorneys at the county seat and was admitted to the bar in 1897.

Mr. Oliver married Annie McDonald in 1890 and moved to La Grande in 1895 where he was a merchant for four years.

**State Senator.**  
He was then elected state senator for two terms. In 1897 he was elected grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias and was a prominent representative in Detroit and San Francisco conventions of the order. He became a member of the Masonic Order as soon as he was old enough joining the Sumnerville lodge where he always has retained his membership.

Mr. Oliver helped organize and was the first president of the old Commercial Club, serving as head of this organization for seven years. From the beginning of his residence in La Grande he was president of the board of trustees of the Presbyterian Church and was always a devoted supporter of his church in all its undertakings. He read the Bible through each year for seven years to his blind grandfather and the philosophy of his grandparent had a great part in the moulding of his life and ideas. He was teacher of the "men's" Bible class for ten years.

Mr. Oliver was appointed by President Woodrow Wilson as registrar to the Federal Land Bank in Spokane and was general counsel for the bank. He was in Spokane six years then returning to La Grande in 1922 where he resumed his law practice.

One of his ambitions was to write a history of Eastern Oregon and of Union county in particular and had compiled a great quantity of data for this purpose.

The real story of Turner Oliver cannot be told in bare data. The story of his life is being retold as he is remembered by his neighbors. He exemplified the faith he professed in his daily walks and his love for little children and his kindness for the lowly and unfortunate, his ideals of uplift for his fellow man and the community were all a part of his daily life.

**A. D. WEBB**  
Funeral services over the remains of A. D. Webb, who died in La Grande Wednesday evening will be held Sunday afternoon.

**STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD**

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

—Ah! How good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more yawning, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what suffers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

**FOR THAT TIGHT COUGH**

When that cough of yours tightens up, the membranes become irritated and trouble you every time you take a breath, it's time you were using

**Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup**

Cough is every instance gives the way to further trouble.

Nyal's Cherry Cough Syrup soothes and heals the irritated membranes. Relieves the tickling sensation, allays inflammation and prevents further infection.

The first dose affords a grateful relief.

Two sizes, 25c and 50c

from the L. D. S. tabernacle at about 7 o'clock. Intention will be at the L. D. S. cemetery.

The remains of Mr. Webb, who was 77 years of age, are at the Bohlenkamp chapel.

**FUNERAL TO BE SUNDAY AT JOSEPH**  
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Burning herons was thrown in all portions of the room.

**Rescued Child.**  
Mrs. Tucker and her sister-in-law waded through a pool of fire searching for the two children, Grant Barrow, son of Dakley Barrows, and Joanne, niece of Mr. Tucker and daughter of Ben Tucker.

Mr. Tucker then recovered and took Joanne while the mother went for Grant in a nearby bedroom. Tucker swathed the girl with a coat and rushed outside the house. Mrs. Lorraine Tucker followed him, both expecting Mrs. George Tucker was coming behind them.

The girl was placed in the snow and the flames in her clothing extinguished. Tucker, whose trousers were burning, drenched with kerosene and then put the fire out.

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"Then we started looking for Stella (Mrs. George Tucker) and when we couldn't find her thought that she had gotten out with Grant and went to some neighbor's home for aid. But then I felt that she had been overcome by the blaze that struck our backs and was in the house."

"Mr. Tucker, intent upon going back into the house to rescue her, was fearfully burned by a scaring flame that met his attempts. His hands and feet were burned then and his legs had been badly burned by flames caused by the coal oil being thrown on his trousers."

Mrs. Lorraine Tucker was also badly burned on the back and part of her hair was scorched. Her burns are painful but not dangerous.

Little Joanne escaped unharmed as also did Hester, the girl staying there and going to Joseph high school.

It is significant that Mrs. Tucker was snatched from the living just before she was to serve nitro. She was to go that evening to the bedside of a sick friend who was sorely in need of a nurse. Mrs. Tucker was a woman of great kindness and was one of the best loved women in the community. Her loss leaves a vacancy that is difficult to fill.

**To Attend Funeral.**  
Mrs. M. A. Dodge, of Hermiston; Mrs. Minnie Davidson, of Pendleton; Miss Billing and H. C. Brown of Albany, Or., passed through La Grande this morning on route to Joseph to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Tucker, their sister Mrs. Grant Tucker of Portland, will also attend the funeral. She was a guest at the Sommer hotel last evening.

**Schedule of Trains Given**  
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now respectively 25 and 26 and are both 79-hour trains between Portland and Chicago and are run on the same schedule as trains 17 and 18, the Portland Limited. Train 26 will now leave Portland at four o'clock each afternoon instead of five o'clock and will be a through train carrying standard and tourist sleepers from Portland to Chicago and standard sleepers from Portland to Kansas City.

**Postal Congress Is 14**  
He Held in Stockholm

**STOCKHOLM, (INS)**—It has been decided to hold the eighth International Postal Congress here

**ENTIRE STOCK**  
Except Dinnerware, Reduced 20% for 3 Days Only.  
SATURDAY, Jan. 12; MONDAY, Jan. 14, and TUESDAY, Jan. 15.  
SAVE 20c ON EVERY DOLLAR'S WORTH AT  
Harley H. Richardson, "The Art Man"

**SALE**  
SPECIAL REDUCTIONS ON DINNERWARE

**TONSILLITIS**  
Apply thickly over throat cover with hot flannel

**VICKS VAPORUB**  
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

**Always Take**  
HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE  
Relieves COLD IN 24 HOURS LA GRIPPE IN 3 DAYS  
All Druggists—30 cents

**Glass Towels**

Now is the time to replenish your towel supply. We have a wonderful assortment of patterns on excellent material for 25 cents.

**Art & Baby Shop**  
Mrs. A. Newlin Mrs. J. McNamee  
Sommer Hotel Bldg.

**Why does money have grooved edges?**

**Puretest** Castor Oil  
every few days, as a gentle, cleansing cathartic. Puretest Castor Oil meets the most exacting demands of the medical profession. It is odorless and so thoroughly purified that its taste is sweet and palatable. Even children find it easy to take.

One of our Puretest preparations. Every item the best that skill and conscience can produce.

**Glass Drugs**  
The Rexall Drug Store

# Distinctive Cloth and Silk Frocks

at Sale Prices  
Now is your opportunity to save and at the same time get the Newest Modes.



# French & Greene

Invitations will be extended to the seventy countries forming the Postal Union, and about 150 delegates are expected.  
Many important questions are down for discussion, including the international agreement regarding postal rates. All discussions will be held in the Parliament House.  
The date of trial was set for Monday, January 21, by Judge Phelps.  
Miss Sara Ellis pleaded not guilty to a charge of murder in the first degree when she was arraigned before Judge Phelps in circuit court. She is charged with murder in connection with the death of October 27 of Gordon Melton, who was shot in front of the Ellis ranch home near Alton in the mountains north of Pendleton.

**WOMAN DENIES MURDER.**  
PENDLETON, Or. (Special)

**STAR**  
TODAY SATURDAY AND SUNDAY  
PEP!  
SNAP, AND GINGER!



**Tommy**  
**SOFT BOILED**  
WITH "TONY" THE WONDER HORSE  
A SPECIAL PRODUCTION  
A J.G. ELYSTONE PRODUCTION STORY BY EDWARD MORAN

**ARCADE**  
TODAY AND SATURDAY

**King Vidor's**  
Production of  
John Golden's Great Stage Success  
**"3 Wise Fools"**

The most thrilling romance of Broadway history has been made into the most powerful and appealing photoplay of the year.

It has Action! It has Humor  
It has Power! It has Charm!

**ANN SHELL**  
At The  
**ROBERT-MORTON**

**FOX NEWS**



**CLINT'S CLOTHIERY**  
5TH ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Still Giving Values for Your Dollars in Quality Merchandise \$25.00

A square as a brick Suit Value that you'll love the minute you look at it!

They say you can't carry water on two shoulders—but you can carry a suit at a low price with a full sense of joy and pride.

It's a Michaels-Stern Suit—genuine—the label's in the pocket—and so is every man who buys one—at least \$15 figuring present quotations.

We're after business—more business—bigger business—and we are not waiting until Easter to roll up our sleeves.

Lots of patterns—lots of materials—lots of value—at \$25.00

**Clint's Clothery**  
The Store With a Conscience